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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR RESPONSE (THREE MONTHS)

Sir:

The Examiner issued an Office action on 13 March 2003, so that the shortened statutory time for response expired on 13 June 2003. The applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to reply, so that the extended time would expire on 13 September 2003 (or 15 September 2003, since the 13th and 14th are weekend days. The \$465 extension fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3) is enclosed.

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